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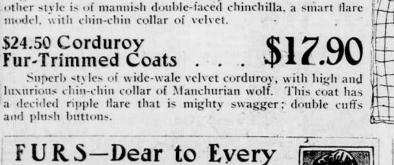
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HOLD U. S. OFFICER AS SPY.

Lieut. Dyer Detained at Singapore Because He Lacked Passports. The War Department has been u fficially advised that Lieut, Edward Dyer of the Coast Artillery, who had been given three months' leave of absence from duty in the Philippine slands, is detained in Singapore as

ain a passport on leaving the Philipews of his detention has been re

Lieut. Dyer left Fort Mills, P. I., Seplays ago. He had planned to spend

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Just Five More Days in Which to Do Christmas Shopping and Mailing.

time traveling in the orient and to have gone to Puget sound for til there upon the expiration of layer. IN WASHINGTON STORES

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We have we have been called already to the colors, mobilized and have suffered terrible losses. Trim young-firs, would have no celebrations at all are being arranged by various clubs and organizations.

In the fact for that the correr mail box at the right time. Other little envelopes contain the remembrances of Mr. Householder for ash man, trash man, garbage man and other public servants of whose existence during the rest of the vear he is but dimly aware.
Clerks in the stores are beginning to hate the alarm clock with a hate that makes their sentiments of other months seem like purest affection, and older and larger shoes are being ferreted out to offset the long hours of standing. Washingtonians generally at frequent intervals consult penciled lists with corroded brows. Slowly the last rush will gather headway until the Christmas whopping and mailing, as in other ways, it apparently is impossible not to overlook something until the last week or, sometimes, minute. And never have Washington stores and business and larger shoes are being ferreted out to offset the long hours of standing. Washingtonians generally at frequent intervals consult penciled lists with corroded brows. Slowly the last rush will gather headway until the Christmas without definite ideas but with money in purse.

Celebrations for those away from home and for those who, through poverty, would have no celebrations at all are being arranged by various clubs and organizations.



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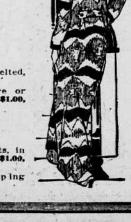
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stout clod-hopping hemlocks which might have grown to middle or old age, have

have grown to middle or old age, have heeded the orders of Minister Santa Claus and Gen. Celebration, and have been cut down in their prime. They are stored in cellars, attics and spare rooms against next Friday night, when tip-toeing parents will work on them until 3 a.m., and then be waked at 6 o'clock with a loudly-shouted "Merry Christmas."

They are stacked in stores and markets and are going hither and yon, singly and in wagon loads. A number of Washingtonians apparently go out and cut their own, for several were noted yesterday protruding from the tonneaus of automobiles.

Christmas turkeys and their concomitants have generally been reserved for the "big eats" Saturday, and many a man and woman, in addition to the charitable and fraternal organizations that make such things their Christmas business, has reserved two, one for his or her own and one for some less fortunate family.

Nooks Grammed With Gifts.

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Nooks and corners, cupboards and drawers are already crammed with gifts, great and small, and labeled with verbal "keep out" signs. Christ done up in packages, according to the

are being arranged by various clubs and organizations. Santa Claus Girl, who sees to it The Santa Claus Girl, who sees to it that hundreds of poor children, who otherwise would go unremembered, get at least one gift by mail direct from Santa Claus, has a stack of little presents all wrapped, addressed and packed with Christmas seals, ready for de-

Christmas Cigars Not Forgotten. Christmas cigars are being laid in

by the wholesale. In cold cellars boys are laboriously puffing at bugles to see if they have "lost their lip" and if they have to regain it, in time to wake the echoes early Saturday morning.

Uncle Sam's boys in khaki who are stationed in the District always make a good deal of the Christmas season. Post life seems to create this tendency. Christmas eve the one only and original Santa Claus will appear beside the big tree erected by the officers and men of the 1st Battalion of Engineers, bearing gifts for the children of the Washington barracks post. This has been a custom of the barracks for a number of years. The Engineer Band will give a musical program, the talented ones among the "kids" will give recitations, and after the distribution of presents refreshments will be served. Christmas day the 700 men of the battalion will sit down to a Christmas feast in the mess hall, specially decorated for the purpose, each company getting up its own dinner along similary and the congress proper. There will pressed the congress, and possibly a joint session with the congress, one of whose fortyfive subsections is to consider the subject of education and the addresses will come under education and child welfare, and the addresses will be made by women prominent in several of the pan-American countries.

Mrs. Robert Lansing, wife of the Scoretary of State, will preside at the opening, which will be held Tuesday morning. December 28, in Memorial Continental Hall. A response on behalf of the women of Latin America will be made by Mme. Suarez, wife of the congress, and possibly a joint session with the congress, one of whose fortyfive subsections is to consider the subject of education and defended to the topics will come under education and child welfare, and the addresses will Laura Brown, and she leaves an aged grand-morning. December 28, in Memorial Continental Hall. A response on behalf of the women of Latin America will be made by Mme. Suarez, wife of the Congression of the women's conference of women on the battalian ment of the pan and the secondary. State of the fown developed the secondary per port ment at Congressional cemeter rated for the purpose, each company getting up its own dinner along simi-lar lines.

"NAVVY POET" TO WED.

Patrick McGill's Bride Will Be Cardinal Gibbons' Grandniece.

LONDON, December 4.-Patrick Mc Gill, who began life as a laborer, distinguished himself by his bravery at Loos, will have a wedding in Lon-

who had been shot down. On another occasion a shell burst above his head and killed or wounded every man in his section without giving him a scratch. His own wound in the fleshy part of the arm will soon be healed, when he will return to the firing line. The author's bride is Miss Margaret Gibbons, a grandniece of the cardinal and herself a writer.

To be at the disposal of each delegation of the twenty visiting republics. There will also be twenty young woman aid to assist the wives and daugh the capital. The capital who years ago today, December 20, 1999.

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Decoration for E. T. Williams. orrespondence of the Associated Press.

PEKING, November 20 .- President Yuan Shi-Kai has conferred the decoration of the second-class Chia Ho upon E. T. Williams, director of the bureau of far eastern affairs in the Jamerican State Department. Mr. Williams was formerly Chinese secretary of the American legation at Peking and leter first secondary and cheer first secondary and first later first secretary and charge d'affaires in the Chinese capital. He also served as consul general at Tientsin and for a number of years was an official translator for the Chinese government. Mr. Williams has written a number of the chinese and chinese laws religion. ber of books on Chinese laws, religions and institutions. He lived for more than twenty years in China before taking up his present work in Washington, and is highly regarded by all Chinary collected.

Navy Man's Burns Fatal. Jacob P. Windres of Norge, Va., chief

s dead at the Norfolk naval hospital from burns received in an explosio of gas in the coal bunkers of the ship the Navy Department ha sannounced. Windres, who died Saturday, had been in the service since 1896.

An undated cablegram has been sent to the Department of State by the

Free Zone at Cadiz, Spain.

American consul at Seville stating that a free zone was inaugurated December 10 at the port of Cadiz, Spain, and that foreign goods are now admitted to bonded warehouses duty free for re-export. University Roll of War Victims.

orrespondence of the Associated Press. BERLIN, December 2 .- At the Uni

versity of Berlin the roll of honor of versity of Berlin the roll of honor of its students and professors who have fallen in the present war already covers three large blackboards, which are surmounted by laurel wreaths, in the main lobby of the central building.

These tablets contain the names of expressors and lectruers 1 official and the surface of the contain the names of the names fallen in the present war already covers three large blackboards, which are surmounted by laurel wreaths, in the main lobby of the central building. These tablets contain the names of 8 professors and lectruers, 1 official and not less than 241 students. Among the latter are 32 students of theology, 50 of law, 27 of medicine and 123 of various branches of the philosophical department.

Golf Links on Gatun Dam. condence of the Associated Press.

PANAMA, December 11 .- The broad. flat top of Gatun dam is to serve for a golf course, and a club is now being organized by officials of the Panama canal and others. Maj. Gen. George W. canal and others. Mal. Gen. George W. Goethals, U. S. A., governor of the Panama Canal Zone, has approved the formation of the club and has given permission for the use of Gatun dam. The club will be organized under the auspices of the Young Men's Christian Association, which already has a suitable club building at Gatun.

Edward Galvin, fifty-four, formerly of Frostburg, was found dead in bed at the home of his sister, in Cumber-

Educators and Women Called to Meet During Pan-American Sessions.

TRADE COURSES PLANNED IN HIGH SCHOOLS OF U.S.

P. P. Claxton to Head Teachers' Conference-Mrs. Lansing to Preside at Other Gathering.

n connection with the second Panvene here December 27. One is to be an education conference that has been called by P. P. Claxton, United States commissioner of education, and the

jects of feminine appeal. has been called by Commissioner Claximmediate introduction into the high country of special courses of study for foreign trade and the consular and

diplomatic service is to be discussed. Addresses are to be made by college presidents and professors from man; parts of the country, by business men trade experts and representatives of the departments of State and Com merce. Following a round-table dis-cussion of the plan, a committee will be appointed to make a report to Com-

Conference of Women.

Announcement has been made that since many of the delegates to the scientific congress will be accompanied by their wives and daughters, it has been decided to take advantage of the opportunity thus afforded to hold a speentific congress will be accompanied by their wives and daughters, it has been decided to take advantage of the op-

Mrs. Swiggett to Be Secretary.

Mrs. Glen Levin Swiggett, wife of Dr. Swiggett, professor of romance languages in the University of Knoxville and assistant secretary general of the congress proper, has been appointed organization secretary of the women's conference, the correct title of which of the Second Pan-American Scientific Gill, who began life as a laborer, came into fame as the author of "Children of the Dead End" and lately distinguished himself by his bravery at Loos, will have a wedding in Lon-

distinguished himself by his bravery at Loos, will have a wedding in London that many aristocrats would envy. Among the guests invited to the luncheon that follows the ceremony are the Duke and Duchess of Hamilton, Viscount Esher, Lady St. Helier and Canon and Lady Dalton, with his publisher, Mr. Herbert Jenkins, as his best man.

McGill is known as the "navvy poet," the word "navvy" meaning locally a road laborer. When the war broke out he enlisted in the London Irish. When wounded at Loos he was rescuing under fire some of his companions who had been shot down. On another occasion a shell burst above his head and killed or wounded every man.

MONTGOMERY, Ala., December 20.— G. J. Thrasher, Robert C. Howard and L. E. Aymard have been found guilty by a jury in the federal court of us ing the United States mails to defraud in the promotion of the Bankers' Bond

DIED.

BROOKS. On Friday, December 17, 1915, at 4 p.m., MAMIE BROOKS (nee Green), beloved wife of Maurice Brooks and mother of Lysses and Alexela. She leaves two brothers and four sisters.

Funeral Tuesday, December 21, at 2 p.m., from James Winslow's pariors, 12th and R streets northwest, instead of 716 P street, as previously stated, on account of illness in family, Friends invited.

BUCK. On Monday, December 20, 1915, at 1:15 a.m., FRANCES R., widow of the late Rev. W. W. Buck, aged cighty-six years. Funeral from the residence of her son, C. M. Buck, No, 7639 1st street northwest, on Tues-day, December 21, at 3 o'clock p.m. Rel-atives and friends invited. Interment (pri-vate) at Glenwood cemetery.

LAYTON, On Monday, December 20, 1915, at 2 a.m., at his residence, 740 Longfellow street, Brightwood, D. C., WILLIAM M., belowed husband of Annie E. Clayton, otice of funeral later,

COOPER. On Saturday, December 18, 1915, at 1 a.m., MARY L., beloved wife of Peter Cooper and mother of Alyce G. Durloo, William, Rolandas and Chauncey Cooper. She leaves a mother. Mrs. Ella Thomas, and brother, Walter Thomas.

Funeral 2 p.m. Tuesday, December 21, from St. Mary's P. E. Church, 23d, G. and H. streets northwest. Relatives and friends respectfully invited to attend. (Baltimore, Richmond and New York papers please cooy.)

DE LAY. December 18, 1915, at 3:45 o'clock p.m., at his residence, \$18 I street northests, RORERT E. DE LAY, bushahd of Julia De Lay, son of J. E. and the late Mary De Lay.

Funeral notice later. (Norfolk papers please copy.)

GLOETZNER. On Saturday, December 18, 1915, at 7:30 p.m., at her home, 1228 M street northwest. Washingten, D. C., JOHANA, beloved wife of Dr. Anton Gloetzner. Funeral services at the Church of the Immaliate Conception on Tuesday, December 21, at 9 a.m. Friends and acquaintances invited to attend. Interment private. (Detroit and Los Angeles papers please copy.)

HAWKINS. Usparted this life Saturday, De-cember 18, 1915, at 11:45 p.m., RICHARD HAWKINS, leibred son of Rebecca Brown and brother of James and Bessie Hawkins. "Forget me not, until the life has passed
To still this heart of ours,
And not till this will I forget
One word or look of thine."
BY HIS FRIENDS, MAMIE AND ANNA
BROWN.

Funeral from his lafe residence Tuesday, December 21, at 2 p.m.

York city and Mrs. Charlotte T. Cumberlas

MACFARLAND. On Sunday, December 19, 1915, at 6:25 p.m., at her residence, 45:4 Irving street northwest, after a long libres, ELLEN BELL, wife or James S. Macfarland, aged seventy two years.

Funeral from Sacred Heart Church, 14th street and Park road, Tuesday, December 21, at 9 a.m. Interment (private) at Evergreen censectery, Rindensburg, Md. (Pittsburgh, Pa., and Maryland papers please copy.)

MARZOLF. Suddenly, on Sunday. December 1915, at his residence, Mc23 Otis place to west, GEORGE M., beloved son of J. M. Rosalle C. Marzolf, in the fifth year of

2.15 a.m., at the residence of her daugh Mrs. A. B. Bolac, 1028 3rd street northe BrildgeT, widow of the Int. John T. Mur-neral from her late residence, No. 1028, street mortheast, on Tue-day, December 21 8.50 a.m. Requirin mass at 8% Alon Church at 9 o'clock. Relatives and fri-invited. Interment at Mount Olivet cemet

BRIEN. On Saturday, December 18, 10 s.m., CATHERINE, widow of Thomas O'Brien.
ueral from her late residence. See Avenue applied. avenue southwest, Tuesday morning, Dec-ber 21, at 9 o'clock; thence to St. Vincent Paul's Church, where requiem mass will said. Relatives and friends respectfully vited to attend.

POOLE. On Sunday, December 19, 1915, at 2:50 a.m., at her residence, 1897 12th street northwest, MATILDA, widow of the late Hamilton Poole and mother of Maria A. Yonig and Mary J. Poole.

Puneral Wednesday, December 22, from the People's Congregational Church at 1 p.m. Friends and relatives are invited to attend. Casket will not be opened at the church. 21:

TAYLOR. On Thursday, December 16, 1915, a bis home, 311 N street southwest. J. MH, TON TAYLOR, beloyed husband of Martin Baldwin Taylor.
Interment was at Cedar Hill cemetery, Philindelphin, Pa., Saturday, December 18, (Orange, N. J., and Pittsburgh, Pa., papers please copy.)

In Memoriam.

Sleep on, ob, our darling mother,
It is so sweet to breathe thy unne;
In life we loved thee dearly;
In death we do the same.
SARAH, EMMA, MARY, REBECCA AND
JAMES.

BY THE FAMILY. .

Days of sadness still come o'er me, Tears of sorrow I let flow, But I know that she's an angel Who left me a year ago, BY HER HUSBAND, *

TOLLIVER. In loving remembrance of my dep-mather-in-law, EMMA TOLLIVER, was died one year ago today, December 20, 1944. MANNE.

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YOUNG, Suddenly, on Saturday, De 1915, at 11 p.m., at the reside son, Frank Reamer, 708 3d street Mrs. AMELIA YOUNG.

How I love to think of Anna.

How I love the cherished past.
But I know not what she suffered,
My darling wife, until its last.

One long year, dear mother, Since you left us and slipped away. To be with God and His angels, That was a sad becember day. BY HER HUSGAND AND CHILDREN.

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